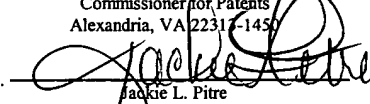




**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Application No.: 09/785,080  
Confirmation No.: 3076  
Filing Date: February 15, 2001  
Inventors: Stephen P. W. Draper  
Title: SYSTEM AND METHOD  
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OF DATA DIFFERENCE  
REPRESENTATIONS

Examiner: Yuan, Almari Romero  
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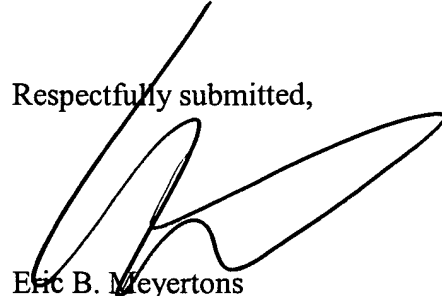
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Dear Sir:

Applicant respectfully requests continued examination. Please amend the case as follows.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 9 of this paper.